

REMARKS

Claims 2-15, 17, 19, and 22 are pending in the application. Claims 2-15, 17, 19, 22, and 23 have been rejected.

The Specification has been amended to include headings, label the drawings as prior art and an abstract. The Drawings have been amended to label Figures 1-3 as "Prior Art."

Appreciation is expressed for the telephonic interview kindly accorded Stephen A. Terrile, Applicants' Attorney, on January 30, 2008. During the interview, the claims were discussed and it was agreed that claim 9 as presently amended was allowable. It was also agreed that should claim 22 be amended to include the limitations similar to amended claim 9, it too would also be allowable. Accordingly, claim 22 has been so amended. Claims 2 – 8 and 10 – 15 depend from amended claim 22 and are allowable for at least this reason.

CONCLUSION

In view of the amendments and remarks set forth herein, the application is believed to be in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is solicited. Nonetheless, should any issues remain that might be subject to resolution through a telephonic interview, the examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 090461 for any fees due and credit any overpayments to same.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being electronically submitted to the COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS via EFS on March 19, 2008.

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